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LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS.

1890.

CLERK.

RICHARD T. LOMBARD.

SELECTMEN.

HARRY W. BUTLER, JAMES A. BENT,
WILLARD B. WARD.

TREASURER.

BENJAMIN M. FOLSOM.

ASSESSORS.

HENRY F. LEE, DANIEL BRACKETT,
ALPHONSE ALLAIRE.

AUDITOR.

FRANK A. BULLARD.

OVERSEERS OF POOR.

DANIEL W. RICKER, WILLARD B. WARD,
NAPOLEON PERODEAU.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

BENJAMIN M. FOLSOM, CAROLINE F. LOKER,
JOSEPH CANDLIN.

COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

WILLARD B. WARD.

FENCE VIEWERS.

HORATIO G. HAMMOND, ALBION F. PARMENTER,
EDWARD CARTER.

CONSTABLES.

J. B. CHARBOUNEAU, D. W. RICKER,
PETER LEAVITT, WM. C. NEAL,
LAWRENCE H. McMANUS, WILLARD B. WARD.

FIELD DRIVER.

CYRUS A. ROAK.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

ED. A. ATWOOD.

MEASURERS OF WOOD AND BARK.

GEO. B. HOWE, ED. A. ATWOOD,
L. K. LOVELL, EDWARD CARTER.

SURVEYOR OF LUMBER.

JAMES H. SMALL.

SUPERINTENDENTS OF CEMETERIES.

THEO. S. SHERMAN, JOHN C. BUTTERFIELD.

TRUSTEES OF ALLEN FUND.

JAS. S. DRAPER, SAM'L. M. THOMAS,
ISAAC DAMON.

TRUSTEES PUBLIC LIBRARY.

THEO. W. BENNETT, SARAH E. HEARD,
ISAAC DAMON, EMILY A. HEARD,
ELLEN M. BRAMAN, HENRY D. PARMENTER.

TREASURER OF LIBRARY FUNDS.

BENJ. M. FOLSOM.

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS.

THEODORE S. SHERMAN.

TOWN MEETING.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

*To Lawrence H. McManus, or either of the Constables of the Town of
Wayland, in said County,*

GREETING :

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Wayland, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in said town, on Monday, the twenty-third day of March, instant, at nine o'clock A. M., to act upon the following articles, viz :—

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To choose all necessary Town Officers, Trustees, Agents and Committees for the year ensuing. The polls will be opened at nine o'clock and may be closed at one o'clock.

ART. 3. To hear the reports of Town Officers, Trustees, Agents and Committees, and act thereon.

ART. 4. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year and order the same to be assessed, or do or act.

ART. 5. To provide for the payment of any part of the town debt, or do or act.

ART. 6. To appropriate the license money on dogs, refunded by the County Treasurer.

ART. 7. To authorize the Treasurer to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

ART. 8. To act upon the Jury List, as revised by the Selectmen.

ART. 9. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of twelve hundred dollars to rebuild "Bridle Point" Bridge, (so called), or do or act.

ART. 10. To answer the following question by ballot: Yes or No.—Shall licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors be granted in this town?

ART. 11. To appropriate money for Decoration Day, or do or act.

ART. 12. To authorize the Selectmen to consult counsel on important town cases.

ART. 13. To see if the town will accept "King Street" as laid out by the Selectmen, or do or act.

ART. 14. To see if the town will accept Mitchell street as laid out by the Selectmen, or do or act.

ART. 15. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars for the repair of the Engine House, or do or act.

ART. 16. To see what sum, if any, the town will appropriate for the repair of the "Island Road" (so called), from the Buckingham place to the Sudbury line, or do or act.

And you are required to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the Post-offices and Town House in said town, seven days, at least, before the time appointed for said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this sixth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

HARRY W. BUTLER,

JAMES A. BENT,

WILLARD B. WARD,

Selectmen of Wayland.

LIST OF JURORS

As revised by the Selectmen, March 6, 1891.

BUTLER, ERNEST E.

DRAPER, JAMES A.

FROST, THOMAS W.

FOLSOM, GEORGE B.

BRACKETT, DANIEL

DUDLEY, HENRY G.

ERWIN, ROBERT

MORSE, ANDREW S.

PARMENTER, ALBION F.

LOVEJOY, WILLIAM W.

WARD, WILLARD B.

SHERMAN, LUTHER H.

HAMMOND, HORATIO G.

CAMPBELL, WILLIAM H.

LEE, HENRY F.

PUFFER, ADONIRAM

BURKE JOHN F.

CHARBOUNEAU, JEAN B.

CARTER, EDWARD

SHERMAN, MELVIN

SHERMAN, THEODORE S.

SAWIN, THEODORE L.

SHERMAN, GEORGE E.

MITCHELL, DELOS W.

PHALEN, HENRY B.

LOKER, GRANVILLE L.

BRAMAN, HODIJAH B.

LAMARINE, JOHN

LOKER, ALPHEUS D.

POUSLAND, EDWARD

PIERCE, EDWARD A.

WEBSTER, WALTER S.

THOMAS, JAMES F.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

The board of selectmen submit the following :

We believe that the present financial condition of the town demands the thoughtful consideration of the voters. We earnestly recommend that the appropriations for the ensuing year be kept strictly within the narrowest limits possible, that is consistent with efficient service.

During the past year the incidental appropriation was unavoidably overdrawn. We recommend an appropriation to cover the overdraw, in addition to the regular appropriation of \$1,500. The treasurer informs us that \$1,327 upon the Interest account came due March 15th, for which the town had made no provision. Among the items of appropriation deemed necessary for the ensuing year are the following :

Interest,	\$3,600 00
Schools,	6,200 00
School supplies,	600 00
Highways,	2,000 00
Abatement of taxes,	200 00
Salaries,	1,200 00

It will be necessary to transfer \$1,450 from Water account to Interest account.

"Bridle Point" bridge is considered in a very dangerous condition, and twelve hundred dollars are necessary to rebuild and repair it.

We recommend the sum of five hundred dollars for special police service, for the suppression of vice, and the enforcement of law.

For other items of interest see the various reports.

HARRY W. BUTLER,

JAMES A. BENT,

WILLARD B. WARD,

Selectmen of Wayland.

Report of Town Clerk and Registrar.

WAYLAND, January 1, 1891.

TO THE INHABITANTS OF THE TOWN OF WAYLAND :

I hereby transmit the annual report of the clerk and registrar for the year ending Dec. 31, 1890.

BIRTHS.

Whole number registered during the year is forty-four, being two more than in 1889.

Of the number twenty-three (23) were males, and twenty-one (21) were females.

Born of native parents,	21
“ foreign “	11
“ native and foreign parents,	12

MARRIAGES.

Whole number recorded during the year is eighteen, being ten less than in 1889.

First marriage of both parties,	15
First and second marriage of parties,	2
Second marriage of both parties,	1

Of native birth,	12
foreign birth,	2
native and foreign birth,	4

DEATHS.

Whole number registered during the year is thirty-two, being one less than in 1889.

CONDITION.

Married,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	14
Widowed,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
Single,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12
Native born,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	24
Foreign “	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8

NAMES AND AGES OF PERSONS DECEASED OVER SEVENTY YEARS OLD.

	YEARS.	MONTHS.	DAYS.
Horace Heard,	85	2	21
Hannah Hopkins,	79	9	
Betsey Heard,	92	9	
Edmond Kimball,	86	7	
Abel Gleason,	86	11	
Sarah McGregor,	70	1	22
Barbara Shipman,	76	6	21

NOSOLOGICAL TABLE.

Heart disease,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Old age,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Inanition,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Consumption,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Pneumonia,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Paralysis,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Phthisis pulmonaris,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Dropsy,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Influenza,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Bronchitis,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Peritonitis,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Gastritis,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Scarlatina,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Meningitis,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Typhoid fever,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Iisis,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Puerperal mania,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Marasmus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Inflammation of brain,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1

Inflammation of bowels,	1
Drowning,	1

DOGS.

Whole number licensed for the year ending Nov. 30, 1890, both male and female, 138.

123 males at \$2,	\$246 00
15 females at \$5,	75 00
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138	\$321 00
138 licences at 20 cents each,	27 60
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Amount paid County Treasurer,	\$293 40
June 1, 1890, paid county treasurer,	\$120 60
Dec. 1, " " " " "	\$172 80

Number of registered voters Nov. 4, 1890, 446.

Number of ballots cast Nov. 4, 1890, 379.

During the last five years the duties and labors of town clerks have been very largely increased, and those not familiar with what is required of them will probably be surprised to learn that your clerk has about two hundred distinct and separate duties to perform, under 171 different sections of our general laws, and failing to perform them is liable to either fine or imprisonment under fifteen sections of the same general laws.

For the performance of the above duties your clerk receives the following compensation from the town.

For recording the proceedings of town meeting, notifying town officers of election, furnishing town officers with copies of votes and certifi- cates, drawing jurors, making and filing and delivering election certificates, recording laying out of highways, returns of fires and recording same, and many other duties too numerous to mention,	\$25 00
For issuing 18 marriage licenses and entering the intention of marriages,	9 00

For issuing 32 burial permits and recording the deaths, entering the births of 44 children and obtaining their names, recording 18 marriages and returning copies of births, deaths and marriages to the secretary of state, and filing all returns,	29 90
For services as registrar of voters and labor on voting lists,	20 00
For meeting the town clerks of the district at South Framingham to canvas returns and issue election certificates,	3 00
For printing notices and licenses and issuing the same to owners of dogs,	27 60
For recording 29 instruments,	21 75
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Making a total compensation from all sources,	\$136 25
Of which sum the town pays,	\$77 90
To whom the service is rendered,	58 35

The above represents the entire compensation from all sources, out of which I pay for printing notices to owners of dogs, and licenses, pay my expenses to Framingham, expenses to Cambridge twice, and to the state house once. I also render other services and perform other duties not here stated for which no compensation is received except as above.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD T. LOMBARD, *Town Clerk.*

ASSESSORS' REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1891.

Value of real estate May 1, 1890,	\$1,107,039 00
" personal estate,	458,080 00
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Total value '90,	\$1,565,119 00
" '89,	1,477,565 00
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Increase,	\$87,554 00
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Additional assessment,	\$9,025 00
Taxes assessed for town purposes,	\$16,991 67
Overlayings,	182 61
State tax,	1,312 50
County tax,	1,207 62
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	\$19,694 40
No. of polls assessed May, 1890,	612
" " " 1889,	614
Total value of land,	\$463,025 00
" " buildings,	644,010 00
No. of persons assessed on property,	561
" " " poll only,	312
Value church property,	\$29,740 00
Town public "	80,925 00

Number of horses,	.	.	.	.	.	356	
“ cows,	.	.	.	.	.	1,057	
“ neat cattle,	.	.	.	.	.	30	
“ swine,	.	.	.	.	.	109	
“ sheep,	.	.	.	.	.	5	
“ dwelling houses,	.	.	.	.	.	388	
“ acres of land,	.	.	.	.	.	9,254	
Rate of taxation 1890,	.	.	.	.	.	.	\$11 80
“ “ 1889,	.	.	.	.	.	.	14 00
There was abated of the tax of 1889,	.	.	.	.	.	.	\$68 90
“ “ “ “ 1888,	.	.	.	.	.	.	22 98
“ “ “ “ 1890,	.	.	.	.	.	.	4 70

DANIEL BRACKETT,
HENRY F. LEE,
ALPHONSE ALLAIRE,

Assessors of Wayland.

WAYLAND, Feb. 28, 1891.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

TAXES OF 1888.

Balance due March 1, 1890,	\$1,250 02
Paid treasurer,	1,250 02

Interest on tax of 1888,	\$172 46
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TAXES OF 1889.

Balance due March 1, 1889,	\$8,821 28
Paid treasurer,	6,150 77

Balance due March 1, 1891,	\$2,670 51
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TAXES OF 1890.

Town purposes,	\$16,991 67
State tax,	1,312 50
County tax,	1,207 62
Overlayings,	182 61
Additional assessments,	106 50

\$19,800 90

Paid treasurer,	11,659 54
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Balance due March 1, 1891,	\$8,141 36
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WILLARD B. WARD,

Collector.

Report of Overseers of Poor.

The following is the report of the Overseers of Poor of the town of Wayland for the year ending Feb. 28, 1891.

The almshouse has been in charge of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Parker. The inmates supported at the almshouse during the year are as follows :

Mrs. Sarah Puffer, invalid, age 75 years.

James Burk, age 64 years.

Charles Moulton, age 81 years.

Mrs. Bathsheba Holt, age 84 years.

Addie Moore, age 28 years, at the Worcester insane asylum, where she has been the entire year.

A. J. Wing, age 56 years, at the Worcester insane asylum, where he has been the entire year.

Wiltred Tatro, age 31 years, died June 25, 1890.

— Lucier, age 4 years, died in April, 1890.

Number of persons receiving outside aid,	18
“ tramps during year,	422
“ meals furnished tramps,	877

The resources for the support of the poor for the year were as follows :

March 1, 1890, balance in treasury,	\$16 82
“ “ transferred from contingent fund,	300 00
Appropriation,	1,500 00
Jan. 17, 1891, appropriation,	500 00
Receipts at farm,	806 04
	\$3,122 86

Outstanding claims March 1, 1890,	. . .	\$892 72
Outside aid,	. . . . .	933 11
Expenses at farm,	. . . . .	1,182 45
Unexpended balance in treasury Mar. 1, '91,	. . . . .	114 58
		<hr/> \$3,122 86

OUTSTANDING CLAIM MARCH 1, 1891.

Balance of Warden's salary,	\$169 00
Of the above amount, bal. in treasury Mar. 1, '91,	115 28
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Outstanding claim unprovided for,	\$53 72

OUTSTANDING CLAIMS MARCH 1, 1890.

Benjamin Turner,	\$227 00
H. F. Lee, .	. . . . .	120 07
J. F. Maloy,	. . . . .	35 60
J. C. Butterfield,	. . . . .	41 00
C. H. Boody, M. D.,	. . . . .	55 40
H. F. Lee, .	. . . . .	40 00
Robinson & Jones,	. . . . .	60 60
E. P. Butler,	. . . . .	33 03
Fred W. Jackson, M. D.,	. . . . .	12 00
M. M. Riley,	. . . . .	28 00
J. M. Scott,	. . . . .	23 16
J. C. Butterfield,	. . . . .	48 83
M. J. Maloney,	. . . . .	21 78
A. A. Bemis,	. . . . .	32 00
W. H. Bent,	. . . . .	6 00
A. Moll, M. D.,	. . . . .	22 00
H. Blanchard, ice 1889,	5 00
J. C. Butterfield, burial Mathews boy,	17 00
Town of Natick, bill of 1888,	64 25
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		\$892 72

NOTE.

Of the above amount there was in the treasury

March 1, 1890, unexpended balance,	. . .	\$16 82
March 1, 1890, appropriated from sale of wood,	. . .	300 00
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		\$316 82

Amount of outstanding claims unprovided for
on March 1, 1890, and paid from the ap-
propriation of current year, \$575 90

DETAILED STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS AT FARM.

Milk,	\$132 50
Butter,	61 26
Eggs,	58 73
Calves,	25 60
Poultry,	12 85
Potatoes,	44 50
Corn stover,	12 00
Hay,	22 00
Oat straw,	24 00
Work,	78 00
Pigs,	10 00
Pork,	29 60
Board,	166 00
Cows,	119 00
Wood,	10 00
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Total receipts at farm,	\$806 04

EXPENDITURES AT FARM.

Grain,	\$109 85
Groceries,	155 04
Cows,	85 50
Calves,	22 00
Meat and fish,	133 95
Lumber,	51 53
Pigs,	13 00
Fertilizer,	15 00
Seeds,	15 65
Fowls,	25 00
Farming tools,	20 00
Blacksmithing,	15 93
Clothes,	8 65
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Amount carried forward, \$671 10

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$671 10
Work,	14 94
Paint and painting,	30 50
Miscellaneous,	8 50
Salary,	81 00
Coal, order,	40 50
Grain and groceries, order,	235 91
Salary,	100 00
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Total expenditures at farm,	\$1,182 45

ORDERS APPROVED FOR OUTSIDE AID FROM MARCH 1, 1890, TO
FEB. 28, 1891.

C. F. Bigelow, medicines,	\$12 45
A. Tatro, care of Wilfred Tatro,	20 00
Worcester insane asylum,	338 92
Frank F. Gerry,	10 00
J. B. Stone, rent for Mrs. Blackmore,	48 00
Ira Underwood, milk for Tatro family,	5 46
E. P. Butler, groceries "	30 89
C. B. Butterfield, provisions, "	14 70
A. Moll, M. D., care Lucier children,	50 00
D. W. Ricker, clothes for G. A. Chalmers,	10 00
Robinson & Jones, coal for Mrs. Lucier and Blackmore,	38 50
C. W. Bemis, chopping wood,*	25 00
A. A. Bemis, care Burrill child,	106 50
W. H. Butterfield, care Mrs. W. Tatro and child,	68 00
W. B. Ward, looking up pauper cases,	19 50
C. H. Boodey, M. D., care Caldwell and Tatro families,	42 00
W. H. Bent, water rates for Mrs. Corlis,	6 00
J. N. Hammond, rent for Mrs. Caldwell,	14 00
J. M. Scott, provisions for Mrs. Satour,	4 45
J. C. Butterfield, burial of W. Tatro and Lucier child,	35 00
M. J. Maloney, groceries for Mrs. Satour,	4 54
J. Dumars, milk for Tatro family,	7 20
K. R. Riley, rent " "	14 00
J. C. Butterfield,	8 00
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	\$933 11

APPRAISED VALUE OF TOWN PROPERTY.

Real estate,	\$5,000 00
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PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Three cows, at \$35,	\$105 00
One heifer,	20 00
One heifer,	15 00
One horse,	185 00
Twelve tons English hay, at \$14,	168 00
Two tons meadow hay, at \$8,	16 00
Five pigs, at \$6,	30 00
Eighty fowls, at 60 cents,	48 00
Eight cords manure, at \$6,	48 00
One tip cart,	15 00
One horse rake,	20 00
One mowing machine,	40 00
One mowing machine,	10 00
One express wagon,	35 00
One express wagon,	50 00
One farm wagon,	10 00
One horse sled,	25 00
One harness,	15 00
Two wheelbarrows,	5 00
Two harrows,	6 00
Two plows,	10 00
One cultivator,	4 00
Two hundred and fifty pounds salt pork, at 10 cents,	25 00
Eighty pounds ham, at 11 cents,	8 80
Twenty bushels potatoes, at \$1,	20 00
Four cords wood, cut and split, at \$6,	24 00
Thirteen cords wood, at \$4,	52 00
Small tools,	10 00
One grindstone,	4 00
One hay-cutter,	5 00
Two horse blankets,	5 00
One barrel crackers,	3 00
Flour,	5 00

Amount carried forward,

\$1,041 80

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$1,041 80
Forty pounds sugar,	3 00
Vinegar,	2 50
Groceries,	3 00
Forty pounds lard, at 10 cents,	4 00
Thirty pounds butter, at 30 cents,	9 00
Eighty bushels corn, at 45 cents,	36 00
Coal,	14 00
Eight stoves and pipe,	50 00
Furniture and household goods,	250 00
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Personal estate,	\$1,413 30

Compare expenditures of year ending Feb. 28, 1890, with those of year ending Feb. 28, 1891 :

Expenses at farm,	\$1,173 15
Outside aid,	1,029 56
Outstanding claim,	802 47
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Total expenditures of year ending Feb. 28, '90, . \$3,595 18

Expenses at farm,	\$1,182 45
Outside aid,	933 11
Outstanding claim,	53 72
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Total expenditures for year ending Feb. 28, '91, \$2,169 28

\$1,425 90

It will be seen that the expenditures for the current year are less by \$1,425.90 than those of the previous year.

We would respectfully recommend an appropriation of (\$1,500) fifteen hundred dollars for the support of the poor for the ensuing year.

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL W. RICKER,
 NAPOLEON PERODEAU,
 WILLARD B. WARD,

Overseers of the Poor of the Town of Wayland.

Report of the Superintendent of Highways.

There has been expended the past year the sum of \$2,746.92. The largest portion of it has been expended on our main road and causeways.

The road near the residence of Mrs. M. Simpson has been put in thorough repair. There have been a number of washouts that were quite expensive to repair. It will be noticed that the town has to pay more or less for gravel every year. We would suggest the advisability of the town securing by purchase, gravel pits, not merely for temporary supply, but for future years,—so located as to be convenient to highways in different sections of the town.

Frequent complaints have been made concerning the unsafe condition of “Bridle Point” Bridge. It looks as though the time had come for the town to act in the matter of building a new bridge.

The guide boards are in their proper places, and in good repair.

The Farm road, so called, is in a dangerous condition, and there is great complaint about it. Your superintendent would recommend the appropriation of \$2,000 for the ensuing year for the highways.

1890.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	\$98 81
	Appropriation,	2,000 00
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						\$2,098 81

EXPENDED.

Mar. 29.	W. C. Neal,	as per bills,	.	\$10 33
Apr. 25.	J. F. Hawkins,	" "	.	24 50
	Geo. E. Sherman,	" "	.	137 38
	L. J. Bemis,	" "	.	117 25
	W. C. Neil,	" "	.	148 75
	" "	" "	.	6 55
May 30.	S. D. Bryden,	" "	.	110 25
	Geo. E. Sherman,	" "	.	36 80
	L. J. Bemis,	" "	.	214 38
	W. C. Neal,	" "	.	236 55
	J. F. Hawkins,	" "	.	15 00
	H. W. Butler,	" "	.	5 59
June 27.	L. J. Bemis,	" "	.	326 38
	W. C. Neal,	" "	.	80 69
Aug. 29.	L. J. Bemis,	" "	.	225 92
Sept. 27.	" "	" "	.	242 54
	Geo. E. Sherman,	" "	.	51 90
	W. C. Neal,	" "	.	69 67
	Union Lumber Co.,	" "	.	2 81
Oct. 31.	Geo. E. Sherman,	" "	.	26 95
	Robinson & Jones,	" "	.	1 75
Nov. 29.	H. B. Braman,	" "	.	3 00
1891.				
Feb. 28.	T. S. Sherman,	" "	.	3 87
				<hr/> \$2,098 81

BILLS DRAWN ON INCIDENTALS.

1890.

Oct. 31.	L. J. Bemis,	as per bill,	.	.	.	\$75 60
	W. C. Neal,	" "	.	.	.	81 77
	W. H. Chamberlain,	" "	.	.	.	90 26
	T. S. Sherman,	" "	.	.	.	63 95

1891.

Jan. 30.	W. C. Neal,	" "	.	.	.	42 73
	H. P. Butler,	" "	.	.	.	1 67
	W. C. Neal,	" "	.	.	.	11 25

\$367 23

. OUTSTANDING BILLS, MARCH 1ST, 1891.

Geo. E. Sherman,	\$39 72
L. J. Bemis,	169 22
L. Hammond, gravel,	36 50
T. S. Sherman,	20 74
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								\$266 18

T. S. SHERMAN,

Superintendent of Highways.

Report of Superintendent of Water Works.

MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT.

1890.

Mar. 29.	Cash paid Joseph T. Damon,	\$6 00	
May 20.	“ C. C. Ward, labor and material,	16 51	
Aug. 29.	“ Bulletin job print, printing,	7 00	
“ 29.	“ N. R. Gerald, postals,	6 00	
Dec. 24.	“ C. C. Ward, labor and material,	169 78	
Feb. 28	“ Walworth Mfg. Co., supplies,	14 10	
	“ W. D. Parlin, supplies,	\$8 47	
	“ Wm. & J. M. Bent, bill Walworth Mfg. Co., supplies,	2 01	
	“ S. C. Niglingale & Childs, supplies,	16 85	27 33
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			\$246 72

RALPH BENT, *Superintendent.*

WAYLAND, Feb. 28, 1891.

WATER COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

WAYLAND WATER COMMISSIONERS,

In account with BENJ. M. FOLSOM, Town Treasurer.

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WATER RATES COLLECTED BY WM. H. BENT, CLERK, AND PAID TO
B. M. FOLSOM, TREASURER.

1890.

Mar. 1.	By water rates from Jan. 1 to July 1, 1890, .	\$690 50
	Appropriation for hydrants, transferred from hydrant account,	384 00
Apr. 1.	Water rates from Jan. 1 to July 1, 1890, .	244 00
Aug. 5.	“ “ “ “ “	68 50
Sept. 1.	“ “ July 1, '90, to Jan. 1, '91,	691 00
Oct. 1.	“ “ “ “ “	111 00
Dec. 1.	“ “ “ “ “	59 50

1891.

Jan. 1.	“ “ “ “ “	19 00
Feb. 3.	“ “ “ “ “	197 00
28.	“ balance for year ending Jan. 1, '91,	571 50

\$3,036 00

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ORDERS DRAWN ON TOWN TREASURER BY THE WATER COMMISSIONERS.

1890.

Mar. 29.	Order No. 1, Joseph T. Damon, . . .	\$6 00
May 20.	“ 2, C. C. Ward, . . .	16 51
Aug. 29.	“ 3, Bulletin job print, . . .	7 00
	“ 4, N. R. Gerald, . . .	6 00
Dec. 24.	“ 5, C. C. Ward, . . .	169 78

1891.

Feb. 26.	“ 6, Walworth Mfg. Co., . . .	14 10
	“ 7, Wm. & J. M. Bent, . . .	27 33

Interest on water bonds transferred to interest

account by treasurer, . . . 1,450 00

Feb. 28.	Order No. 8, on town treasurer for balance of water funds invested for a sinking fund, .	1,339 28
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 \$3,036 00

A. H. BRYANT,

WM. H. BENT,

CHAS. H. BOODEY,

Water Commissioners.

WAYLAND, Feb. 28, 1891.

WATER WORKS SINKING FUND.

1891.

Feb. 28.	Amount deposited in Natick Five Cents Sav-	
	ings Bank,	\$3,645 74
	Interest on above deposit to Nov. 1, 1890, .	835 44
	Amount deposited in Suffolk Savings Bank,	
	Boston,	1,000 00
	Interest on above deposit to Oct. 1, 1890, .	96 54
	Amount deposited in Home Savings Bank,	
	Boston,	953 10
	Interest on above deposit to Oct. 1, 1890, .	19 06
	Amount invested in Home Savings Bank,	
	Boston,	1,339 28
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		\$7,889 16

A. H. BRYANT,
WM. H. BENT,
CHAS. H. BOODEY,

Commissioners of Wayland Water Works Sinking Fund.

WAYLAND, Feb. 28, 1891.

Report of Engineers of the Fire Department.

At the annual meeting of the town, March 24, 1890, it was voted that the sum of three hundred and seventy-five dollars be appropriated for an automatic steam gong and attachment, and the engineers were chosen a committee to procure the same. We contracted with Geo. M. Stevens for the gong and attachment, and with William and J. M. Bent for the piping, for the amount of the appropriation. After having it thoroughly tested it was accepted by the engineers.

The fire alarm system has worked perfectly during the year, and was rung in at the following fires :

March 15, fire at house of William Loker.

April 21, fire in woods owned by Wm. H. Bent and A. D. Loker.

April 21, second alarm for breaking out of same fire.

July 13, Fire in woods owned by James A. Bent.

July 15, fire in woods owned by James A. Bent.

July 22, fire in Caldwell house, owned by M. M. Riley.

July 27, call for assistance from North Natick. Barn of Harry Felch.

We petitioned the selectmen for one dozen shovels and one dozen iron rakes for the purpose of fighting fires in woods. These were procured for us. We have used these at two fires, and they proved to be valuable apparatus for the department.

The whole department is in excellent condition, and great interest is being taken by the members of both companies to make the department first-class in every respect.

We ask the town for an appropriation of one hundred and fifty dollars for the purpose of shingling the roof of the engine house and painting the lower room. The roof is in a very bad condition and must be attended to as soon as possible.

RALPH BENT, CHIEF,
E. W. MARSTON,
HENRY B. PHALEN,

Engineers of Fire Department.

LIBRARY TREASURER'S REPORT.

1890.

Apr. 25.	Received of Sarah E. Heard, for fines, etc.,	\$6 32
May 31.	“ N. R. Gerald, “ “	9 32

1891.

Jan. 1.	“ Interest on Draper fund to Nov. 3, '90,	30 00
	“ “ Mrs. Child's fund to Jan. 1, '91,	6 00
Feb. 27.	“ Sarah E. Heard, for fines, etc.,	14 50
		\$66 14

EXPENDED.

1891.

Feb. 27.	Paid town treasurer,	\$66 14
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B. M. FOLSOM, *Library Treasurer.*

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

To the trustees of the Wayland public library the librarian respectfully submits her fifth annual report relating to its condition and workings, with its statistics.

ACCESSIONS.

	BOOKS.
By purchase,	115
gift,	38
Bound and transferred,	52
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Total,	205
Whole number of volumes in the library,	11,300
Pamphlets presented,	244

CIRCULATION.

In Cochrutuate village,	1,665
Wayland Centre,	4,661
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Total,	6,326

DONORS OF BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS.

	BOOKS.	PAMPHLETS.
A Friend,	2	1
Baker, M. N.,	1	
Bancroft, H. H.,	1	

BOOKS. PAMPHLETS.

Boston Public Library,		24
Draper, Miss Ella,		37
Draper, Mr. J. S.,	4	
Heard, Mrs. J. A.,	1	37
Iverson Blake & Co.,	1	
Lacy, Mr. E. S.,	1	
New Church Association,		1
New York Tribune Association,		3
Packard, Mrs. Ellis, Christian Register, 1890.		
Pope, Mr. F. L.,	1	
Quincy, Mr. Edmund,	2	
Reports from the American Library Ass'n,		1
" Brookline Public Library,		1
" Brooklyn,		3
" Cornell University Register,		1
" Chicago Public Library,		1
" Goodnow " " Sudbury,		1
" Harvard University,		1
" Hopedale Public Library,		1
" Lancaster " "		1
" Lawrence " "		1
" Lynn " "		1
" Newberry " " Chicago,		1
" Newton " " & catalogue,		2
" Peoria, " "		1
" Salem, " "		2
" Sudbury " "		1
" State Library, Mass.,		1
" Taunton Public Library,		1
" Toledo " "		1
" University of Pennsylvania,		1
" Watertown Public Library,		1
" Winchester " "		1
Secretary of Commonwealth,	6	20
Sent to the reading room,		65
United States Government, from its different departments,	16	29
Wight, Miss Martha,	1	

	BOOKS.	PAMPHLETS.
Woodford, Wilford,	1	
Woman's Medical Library, Phila., . . .		1
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	38	244

CLASSES OF READING.

Art,03	Juvenile,06
Agriculture,03	Moral and religious,06
Biography, . . . . .	.04	Philosophy, . . . . .	.03
Fiction, . . . . .	.55	Travels, . . . . .	.05
History, . . . . .	.08	Miscellaneous, . . . . .	.07

We are enabled to place among our list of donors the name of Mr. Edmund Quincy, who, through the kindly interest of Mrs. Chas. Rice, has presented to the library two volumes of the works of Mr. Edmund Quincy, Senior. The pamphlets given by Miss Ella Draper were short stories from the pens of some of our most popular authors, — Mrs. Oliphant, Misses Yonge, Mulock, and others.

The library has had no interruption in its usual opening days, with the exception of February 22d, a legal holiday.

The books were called in for examination by the committee on December 27. Far too many volumes were still held in Cochrane which should have been on the shelves.

Eight books, in the central village, were uncanceled on January 1st, but were subsequently returned and the penalty promptly paid. One volume, charged in the Centre, has evaded its summons for return, although it has been repeatedly promised. It is a cause for regret that any one should be willing to defraud the library of a single volume, or to so inconvenience those who may be waiting to read it. Such a proceeding stamps one as unworthy our library privileges and as such we shall consider him.

The accessions in numbers are not up to our usual figures. Quantity yielding to quality, made it imperative, with the small means at our command, that our numbers be restricted.

We now place eleven thousand volumes before a population of two thousand people, yet the undeveloped possibilities of the library are very apparent. Each class is but fairly represented, and as each year opens up to us treasures in all descriptions of literature, we

would, as fast as is consistent with our means, make these classes more complete.

Our juvenile literature, during the past three years, has had more than its share of attention ; its accessions have been many and choice, but it is fully time to call a halt until justice has been done to its numbers.

The juvenile department has been one of the pleasant features of the year's work and we have reason to think that the little seeds sown broadcast will be recognized later. We would meet every need of these young readers and they are among the most welcome in the library room, where every attention is given them that time and circumstances will permit.

Our year's circulation registers less than the previous year. When we consider the few registered readers, some of whom patronize the city libraries and the two book clubs, perhaps we should feel that it is all we could expect. In one of our families, and its clustered branches, nearly nine hundred books have been taken during the past year, and these books have added to the percentage in the best classes of reading.

Our magazine department is needing speedy attention in its early numbers. The Harper's Monthlies bear witness to the reckless way which easily obtained reading matter can be defaced, and even mutilated, by unprincipled people. The poems have been cut out entire, three and four pages torn out in the middle of serial stories, and other trespasses which we will not specify. They are withdrawn from circulation until such time as we can duplicate them.

The manner of heating the library room is a more serious drawback to its interests than has been fully realized. It means more than the simple discomfort of its patrons and those employed in library details. It means interruption in the systematic and orderly progress of the work. Our library is a strong attraction to those seeking either a temporary or permanent home within the town's limits. We would preserve the attractive quality of its books, and keep them in readable condition as well, by constant oversight ; in order to do this we must have a temperature which is at least safe. It is a question which should engage the attention and best thought of all interested in the library's welfare, and we hope in thus publicly calling attention to it that its long delayed remedy will be found.

Our former lighting apparatus has been somewhat improved upon, although it is far from perfect, and we trust that it will not be considered as a permanent reliance. The light is at times very wavy and uncertain, but inasmuch as it is so great an improvement on our former light we are more disposed to be grateful than to find fault.

The want of room has not been conducive to that perfect order which should be conspicuous in a library room. Our public documents have suffered much for want of a permanent place. They are seldom called for and have not been, of late, so placed before the public that they could be easily found if needed. Our economy in cataloguing in that direction is perhaps in some degree questionable. We hope we see not afar off such necessity provided for in the way of room.

The reading room has had no change in the usual contributions. I would emphasize my former suggestion, that a few periodicals, such as *Garden and Forest*, *Current Literature*, or some others, be regularly placed on the table so that it may be rendered a place of attraction, at least, as well as convenience.

The cabinet has been increased by several specimens of petrified nuts, part of a deer's horn, and several other pieces of curious petrification, through the thoughtful kindness of Mr. George White, who, while he has removed to the city of Fort Paine, has still remembered the Wayland cabinet, waiting to enclose and exhibit all specimens of interest which may be kindly offered.

Respectfully,

SARAH E. HEARD.

March 4, 1891.

LIBRARY EXPENSES.

For Express,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	\$3 55
Cleaning,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1 75
Mucilage,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	75
Stamps, .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1 82
Alcohol, .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	75
Wrappers,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	24
An axe, .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	75

Amount carried forward,

\$9 61

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>								\$9 61
For Mending shovel,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	25
Shoveling snow,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	50
Ink,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	25
Lamp chimneys,	16
Wicks and matches,	16
Kerosene,	44
Lamp holder,	25
Taking up plank walk,	25
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								\$11 87
Received from library committee,	\$12 00
Balance,	13

SARAH E. HEARD,

Librarian.

Report of Superintendent of North and Centre Cemeteries.

FROM MARCH 1ST, 1890, TO FEBRUARY 28TH, 1891.

Appropriated,	\$200 00
Unexpended balance,	55 01
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	\$255 01

EXPENDED.

Joseph Breck & Son, wire for fence,	\$22 68
F. S. Johnson, cedar posts for fence,	20 95
G. F. Frost, cement for wall,	12 00
Brown Bros., labor on wall,	55 25
Mass. Central R. R., freight on wire,	50
Labor, at 17½ cts. per hour,	64 58
Unexpended balance,	79 05
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	\$255 01

CASH RECEIVED FOR LOTS, &C., AND PAID TO TOWN TREASURER.

Lots,	\$7 00
Grass,	6 00
Refuse wood,	5 00
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	\$18 00
Paid town treasurer,	\$18 00

T. S. SHERMAN,
Superintendent.

Report of Superintendent of Lakeview Cemetery.

FROM MARCH 1ST, 1890 TO FEBRUARY 28TH, 1891.

Lots sold, 8 at \$5.00,	. . . . .	\$40 00
Due for lots,	. . . . .	\$40 00

PAID OUT FOR LABOR.

Peter Guyott, 6 days at \$1.50,	. . . . .	\$9 00
Jas. Morrissey, 3 days at \$1.50,	. . . . .	4 50
J. C. Butterfield, 10 days at \$1.25,	. . . . .	12 50
Due superintendent,	. . . . .	\$26 00
Appropriation,	. . . . .	\$200 00
John Backstrand, 500 bound stones at 21c.,		\$105 00
W. W. Wight, for surveying and lotting,	. . . . .	45 00
“ “ “ “	. . . . .	9 50
John Griffin, 18½ days' labor at \$1.50,	. . . . .	27 75
Mr. Burke, 8½ “ “ “	. . . . .	12 50
Unexpended balance,	. . . . .	25
		<hr/> \$200 00

J. C. BUTTERFIELD,

Superintendent.

Allen Fund Treasurer's Report.

Interest received on Fund note,	\$60 00
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DISBURSEMENTS.

One woman, unmarried, 92 years old, . . .	\$25 00	
A destitute family,	20 00	
One person, widow,	15 00	
	\$60 00	

JAMES S. DRAPER,

Treasurer.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

SCHOOLS, CARE OF ROOMS, AND FUEL.

1890.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	\$717 57
	Appropriated,	5,200 00

1891.

Jan. 5.	W. Baldwin, treasurer Donation Fund, .	12 00
26.	Income Mass. School Fund,	171 88
Feb. 3.	One-half dog licenses,	133 08
		\$6,234 53

EXPENDED.

1890.

Nellie R. Rice,	\$115 00
Anna H. Rood,	360 00
Annie B. Brown,	360 00
Edith N. Spear,	120 00
Annie S. Clifford,	120 00
Preston Smith,	240 00
Emily D. Sturtevant,	350 00
Alice S. Moodey,	35 00
Kate A Dunn,	20 00
J. W. Parmenter,	22 50

Amount carried forward,

\$1,742 50

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$1,742 50
Mary E. Leach,	346 75
Cora A. Wilson,	117 00
Charles S. Hartwell,	720 00
E. W. Chamberlain,	56 00
A. E. Adams,	123 24
Minnie Folsom,	324 00
Robinson & Jones,	379 81
M. E. Lovell,	125 25
H. S. Sherman,	23 00
J. B. Newton,	84 00
H. G. Kingman,	480 00
Ella M. Willis,	240 00
Florence H. Barrett,	240 00
Hattie E. Perkins,	233 65
Annie E. Tucker,	238 00
Nellie M. Bradstreet,	231 25
A. D. Collins,	68 75
Pearl C. Moore,	231 25
Whittemore Bros.,	5 62
March 1, 1891. Unexpended balance,	214 46
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	\$6,234 53

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

1890.

Mar. 1. Unexpended balance,	\$194 02
Appropriated,	600 00
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	\$794 02

EXPENDED.

1890.

Mar. 28. J. D. F. Brooks,	\$6 50
N. R. Gerald,	2 10
Boston School Supply Co.,	69 67
D. C. Heath & Co.,	13 55
H. D. Noyes & Co.,	1 10
Boston School Supply Co.,	1 76
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$94 68
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<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$94 68
Mar. 28.	New England Publishing Co.,	2 50
	Silver, Burdett & Co.,	3 75
	Lee, Shepard & Co.,	48
	Ginn & Co.,	12 17
	Boston School Supply Co.,	189 54
1891.		
Jan. 30.	Silver, Burdett & Co.,	33 34
	Leach, Shewell & Sanborn,	12 96
	H. D. Noyes & Co.,	3 00
	American Book Co.,	50 84
	Boston School Supply Co.,	63 81
Feb. 27.	Boston School Supply Co.,	158 23
	American Book Co.,	13 70
	March 1. Unexpended balance,	155 02
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		\$794 02

INCIDENTALS.

1890.		
Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	\$51 66
	Appropriated,	1,500 00
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		\$1,551 66
	Overdrawn,	128 86
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		\$1,680 52

EXPENDED.

1890.		
Mar. 12.	W. H. Bent,	\$23 00
28.	H. B. Phalin, outstanding,	4 00
	C. T. Sherman,	2 50
	R. T. Lombard,	41 30
	Union Publishing Co.,	113 11
	Edward Carter,	6 00
	T. W. Silloway,	10 00
	D. Brackett,	5 65
	D. W. Ricker,	10 00
	C. H. Boodey,	6 75
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Amount carried forward, \$222 31

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$222 31
Mar. 28.	Geo. Tyler & Co., . . .	13 50
	J. C. Butterfield, . . .	6 50
	L. H. McManus, . . .	7 00
April 25.	E. H. Atwood, . . .	1 70
	M. W. Hynes, . . .	2 50
	L. H. McManus, . . .	14 00
May 31.	Geo. M. Stevens, . . .	7 25
	Dr. Moll, . . .	6 00
	J. B. Newton, . . .	2 00
	Globe Furniture Co., . . .	10 40
	Thomas Evans, . . .	2 00
	C. H. Richardson, . . .	2 21
	Estate of C. F. Bigelow, . . .	1 50
	E. P. Butler, . . .	19 12
June 27.	E. P. Boyd, . . .	1 00
	J. A. Dupries, . . .	3 15
	Webster Gasoline Co., . . .	38 10
	C. S. Burr, . . .	7 11
	J. M. Moore, . . .	12 50
	J. E. Sampson, . . .	2 00
	O. A. Loker, . . .	12 50
July 25	Geo. M. Stevens, . . .	18 90
	H. B. Phalin, . . .	40
	T. W. Frost, . . .	4 75
	J. B. Charbonneau, . . .	5 00
	W. B. Ward, . . .	10 50
	P. Leavitt, . . .	5 00
	Thomas Groom & Co., . . .	7 25
Aug. 29.	Waltham Daily Tribune, . . .	11 50
	N. Mathew, . . .	5 00
	D. W. Ricker, . . .	4 00
	W. W. Wight, . . .	12 60
	W. F. Garfield, . . .	3 00
	K. of L. Association, . . .	2 50
Sept. 27.	W. C. Neal, . . .	15 00
	Bulletin Job Print, . . .	33 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$532 75

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$532 75
Sept. 27.	Wm. Stearns,	30 36
	J. R. Hawkins,	15 00
	Commonwealth of Mass., . .	4 14
	Daniel Pratt & Sons,	4 50
	W. W. Lovejoy,	100 00
Oct. 31.	Robinson & Jones,	7 50
	D. H. Coakley,	4 00
	T. L. Irwin,	1 70
	H. S. Hauf,	2 25
	C. C. Ward,	11 88
	F. H. Pratt,	2 00
	Provost & Dupont,	6 00
	T. W. Frost,	2 80
	E. P. Butler,	8 87
	T. S. Sherman,	63 95
	L. J. Bemis,	75 60
	W. C. Neal,	81 77
	W. H. Chamberlain,	90 26
	A. D. Collins,	2 45
	Thomas Groom & Co.,	14 75
	Boston & Maine R. R. Co., . .	5 54
	E. L. Barry,	3 50
	W. B. Ward,	65 00
	W. B. Ward,	18 45
	Gilbert & Barker Mfg. Co., . .	46 30
	L. H. McManus,	12 40
	Geo. M. Stevens,	17 25
	L. J. Bemis,	1 00
Nov. 28.	H. B. Phalen,	5 00
	J. N. Cochrane,	5 00
	J. B. Newton,	3 00
	T. S. Sherman,	4 00
	L. H. McManus,	10 50
	A. F. Parmenter,	5 00
	M. W. Hynes,	5 00

Amount carried forward,

\$736 72

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>				\$736 72
Nov. 28.	J. W. Parmenter,	.	.	12 00
	W. D. Parlin,	.	.	21 10
	E. A. Benjamin,	.	.	17 10
	K. A. Dunn,	.	.	2 50
	W. D. Parlin,	.	.	29 98
Dec. 27.	E. P. Butler,	.	.	8 31
	E. H. Atwood,	.	.	6 55
	A. D. Collins,	.	.	9 90
	B. M. Folsom,	.	.	10 00
	C. S. Hartwell,	.	.	40

1891.

Jan. 30.	H. W. Butler,	.	.	52 50
	A. D. Collins,	.	.	11 26
	Geo. M. Stevens,	.	.	10 30
	Robinson & Jones,	.	.	31 68
	W. W. Wight,	.	.	6 00
	Thomas Groom & Co.,	.	.	12 50
	Dr. A. Moll,	.	.	6 00
	Gilbert & Barker Mfg. Co.,	.	.	16 62
	J. H. Small,	.	.	3 25
	C. F. Loker,	.	.	8 38
	W. C. Neal,	.	.	42 73
	E. P. Butler,	.	.	1 68
Feb. 27.	D. W. Ricker,	.	.	14 00
	W. B. Ward,	.	.	6 00
	J. Candlin,	.	.	2 00
	E. W. Marston,	.	.	26 76
	W. D. Parlin,	.	.	4 98
	C. C. Ward,	.	.	1 50
	C. F. Loker,	.	.	3 00
	A. D. Collins,	.	.	2 55
	L. K. Lovell,	.	.	6 52
	Wayland Water Board,	.	.	23 00

 \$1,680 52

SUPPORT OF POOR.

1890.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	\$16 82
5.	Transferred from contingent account,	300 00
	Appropriated,	1,500 00

1891.

Jan. 17.	Appropriated in anticipation of taxes 1891,	500 00
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		\$2,316 82

EXPENDED.

1890.

Mar. 5.	Dr. A. Moll,	\$22 00
	W. H. Bent,	6 00
	A. A. Bemis,	32 00
	M. J. Maloney,	21 78
	J. C. Butterfield,	48 83
	J. M. Scott,	23 16
	M. M. Riley,	28 00
	Fred. W. Jackson,	12 00
	E. P. Butler,	33 03
	Robinson & Jones,	60 60
28.	Henry F. Lee,	40 00
	J. C. Butterfield,	8 00
	Ira Underwood,	2 76
	C. H. Boodey,	55 40
	J. C. Butterfield,	41 00
	E. P. Butler,	10 00
	C. B. Butterfield,	6 23
	C. W. Bemis,	25 00
	J. B. Stone,	6 00
April 25.	A. A. Bemis,	24 00
	Worcester lunatic hospital,	83 58
	E. P. Butler,	10 00
	J. M. Scott,	1 32
	J. B. Stone,	6 00
	Ira Underwood,	2 70
	H. F. Lee,	12 00

Amount carried forward,

\$621 39

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$621 39
May 31.	Robinson & Jones,	11 25
	Kate R. Riley,	14 00
	J. B. Stone,	6 00
	Dr. A. Moll,	50 00
	J. Dumas,	7 20
	A. Tatro,	10 00
	W. H. Butterfield,	8 00
	D. W. Ricker,	10 00
	C. B. Butterfield,	8 47
	J. C. Butterfield,	17 00
	Benjamin Turner,	227 00
	H. F. Lee,	136 20
	Estate of C. F. Bigelow, . .	6 50
June 27.	J. B. Stone,	6 00
	Estate of C. F. Bigelow, . .	5 95
	A. Tatro,	10 00
July 25.	M. J. Maloney,	4 54
	J. C. Butterfield,	35 00
	W. H. Butterfield,	16 00
	Frank F. Gerry	10 00
	Worcester lunatic hospital, .	84 50
	J. M. Scott,	3 13
	J. B. Stone,	6 00
	J. N. Hammond,	14 00
	J. F. Malloy,	35 60
Aug. 29.	A. A. Bemis,	50 00
	J. B. Stone,	6 00
	H. F. Lee & Co.,	58 82
Sept. 27.	W. H. Butterfield,	16 00
	J. B. Stone,	6 00
	E. P. Butler,	10 89
	H. Blanchard,	5 00
Oct. 31.	H. P. Parker,	100 00
	Worcester lunatic hospital, .	85 42
	J. B. Stone,	6 00
	Robinson & Jones,	6 75

Amount carried forward,

\$621 39

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$621 39
Nov. 29.	E. H. Bemis,	32 50
	H. F. Lee & Co.,	99 04
1891.		
Jan. 30.	D. W. Ricker,	28 00
	Robinson & Jones,	61 00
	Worcester lunatic hospital,	85 42
	W. B. Ward,	19 50
	H. F. Lee,	49 92
Feb. 27.	C. H. Boodey,	42 00
	Town of Natick,	64 25
	Wayland Water Board,	6 00
Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	114 58
		<hr/> \$2,316 82

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

1890.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	\$98 81
	Appropriated,	2,000 00
		<hr/> \$2,098 81

EXPENDED.

1890.

Mar. 12.	W. C. Neal,	10 33
28.	W. C. Neal,	6 55
April 25.	L. J. Bemis,	117 25
	W. C. Neal,	148 75
	Geo. E. Sherman,	137 38
	J. F. Hawkins,	24 50
May 31.	J. F. Hawkins,	15 00
	Geo. E. Sherman,	36 80
	S. D. Bryden,	110 25
	L. J. Bemis,	214 38
	W. C. Neal,	236 55
	E. P. Butler,	5 59
June 27.	L. J. Bemis,	326 38
	W. C. Neal,	80 69

<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	<hr/> \$2,098 81
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<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$1765 99	
Aug. 29.	L. J. Bemis,	225 92	
Sept. 27.	W. C. Neal.	69 67	
	L. J. Bemis,	242 54	
	Geo. E. Sherman,	51 90	
	Union Lumber Co.,	2 81	
Oct. 31.	Geo. E. Sherman,	26 95	
	Robinson & Jones,	1 75	
Nov. 29.	H. B. Braman,	3 00	
1891.			
Feb. 27.	T. S. Sherman,	3 87	
			<u>\$2,098 81</u>

INTEREST ON TOWN DEBT.

1890.			
Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	\$439 00	
	Appropriated and assessed,	500 00	
1891.			
Jan. 1.	Transferred from water board account, . .	1,450 00	
Feb. 27.	Transferred from contingent account, . .	2,000 00	
Mar. 1.	Overdrawn,	134 50	
			<u>\$4,523 50</u>

EXPENDED.

1890.			
Mar. 12.	Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.,	\$1,192 50	
31.	Estate of Horace Heard,	150 00	
	Waltham National Bank,	120 00	
April 30.	Estate of Horace Heard,	12 50	
July 15.	Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.,	625 00	
28.	Emily A. Heard, executrix,	20 00	
Sept. 15.	Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.,	1,192 50	
Oct. 4.	Waltham National Bank,	160 00	
23.	Waltham Savings Bank,	125 00	
Nov. 22.	Emily A. Heard, executrix,	60 00	
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>			<u>\$3,657 00</u>

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$3,657 00
1891.		
Jan. 1.	Public library, Draper fund, .	30 00
	Public library, Childs fund, .	6 00
	Jas. S. Draper, Treas. Allen fund,	60 00
5.	W. Baldwin, Treas. Donation fund,	78 00
15.	Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.,	625 00
26.	Emily A. Heard, executrix, .	20 00
Feb. 27.	Waltham National Bank, . .	47 00
		<hr/> \$4,523 50

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

1890.		
Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	\$326 32
	Appropriated,	300 00
1891.		
Feb. 3.	One-half dog licenses,	133 08
27.	Treasurer of public library,	66 14
		<hr/> \$825 54

EXPENDED.

1890.		
Mar. 28.	Sarah E. Heard,	\$50 00
	E. H. Atwood,	41 20
	Wayland Book Club,	13 00
	Wayland New Book Club, S. C.	
	Blake,	7 00
Apr. 25.	Trustees public library,	12 00
	J. M. & H. D. Parmenter,	17 83
May 31.	N. R. Gerald,	25 00
	Emily A. Heard,	60 58
	DeWolfe, Fiske & Co.,	99 26
Sept. 27.	Sarah E. Heard,	50 00
	J. D. F. Brooks,	8 35
Oct. 31.	DeWolfe, Fiske & Co.,	54 76
Dec. 27.	Sarah E. Heard,	50 00
		<hr/> \$488 98
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>				\$488 98
1891.				
Jan. 30.	DeWolf, Fiske and Co.,	.	.	11 89
	J. D. F. Brooks,	.	.	4 05
Feb. 27.	H. D. Parmenter,	.	.	35 33
	DeWolfe, Fiske & Co.,	.	.	33 80
	E. H. Atwood, Ex. Agt.,	.	.	40 00
Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	.	.	211 49
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				\$825 54

SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

1890.				
Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	.	.	\$441 09
	Appropriated,	.	.	1,200 00
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				\$1,641 09

EXPENDED.

1890.				
Mar. 10.	B. M. Folsom,	.	.	\$150 00
	H. W. Butler,	.	.	40 00
	A. M. Bent,	.	.	25 00
	J. A. Bent,	.	.	25 00
	Ralph Bent,	.	.	60 00
	W. H. Bent,	.	.	95 00
28.	W. B. Ward,	.	.	25 00
	R. T. Lombard,	.	.	40 00
	Edward Carter,	.	.	20 00
	L. H. Sherman,	.	.	10 00
	Daniel W. Ricker,	.	.	20 00
	C. H. Boodey,	.	.	20 00
	J. C. Butterfield,	.	.	35 00
	B. M. Folsom,	.	.	62 50
April 25.	H. B. Phalin,	.	.	10 00
	Henry F. Lee,	.	.	20 00
May 31.	A. H. Bryant,	.	.	20 00
June 27.	A. Allaire,	.	.	42 50
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>				\$720 00

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$720 00
June 27.	H. F. Lee,	42 50
	Daniel Brackett,	67 50
July 25.	Nellie R. Rice,	52 00
	Henry F. Lee,	13 75
	Daniel Brackett,	19 25
	A. Allaire,	11 25
Aug. 29.	L. Flanders,	11 25
Sept. 27.	T. L. Sawin,	11 25
	W. W. Lovjoy,	25 00
Oct. 31.	Daniel Brackett,	17 50
1891.		
Jan. 30.	H. F. Lee,	9 99
	A. Allaire,	7 85
	Daniel Brackett,	12 36
Feb. 27.	Daniel W. Ricker,	20 00
	Daniel W. Ricker,	15 00
	E. W. Marston,	20 00
	Napolean Perodeau,	20 00
Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	544 64
		<hr/> \$1,641 09

ACCOUNT OF TREASURER WITH WATER BOARD.

1890.

Mar. 1.	W. H. Bent, clerk,	\$690 50
April 1.	" " "	244 00
Aug. 5.	" " "	68 50
Sept. 1.	" " "	691 00
Oct. 1.	" " "	111 00
Dec. 1.	" " "	59 00

1891.

Jan. 1.	" " "	19 00
	Appropriation for hydrants, transferred from hydrant account,	384 00
Feb. 3.	W. H. Bent, clerk,	197 00
28.	" " "	571 50

\$3,036 00

EXPENDED.

1890.

April	1.	J. T. Damon,	6 00
June	2.	C. C. Ward,	16 51
Sept.	1.	Bulletin Job Print,	7 00
		N. R. Gerald,	6 00
Dec.	27.	C. C. Ward,	169 78

1891.

Jan.	1.	Transferred to interest account, .	1,450 00
Feb.	28.	W. H. Bent, clerk,	14 10
		" " "	27 33
		" " " Sinking fund, .	1,339 28
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			\$3,036 00

COLLECTION OF TAXES 1888.

1890. W. B. Ward, collector.

Mar.	1.	Amount due treasurer,	\$1,250 02
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RECEIVED.

1891.

Feb.	28.	W. B. Ward, collector,	\$1,250 02
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COLLECTION OF TAXES 1889.

1890. W. B. Ward, collector.

Mar.	1.	Amount due treasurer,	\$8,821 28
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RECEIVED.

1891.

Feb.	28.	W. B. Ward, collector,	\$6,150 77
Mar.	1.	Amount due treasurer,	2,670 51
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			\$8,821 28

COLLECTION OF TAXES 1890.

1890. W. B. Ward, collector.

Amount to be paid to town treasurer :

Town tax,	.	.	.	.	.	\$16,991 67
State tax,	1,312 50
County tax,	1,207 62
Overlayings,	182 61
Additional assessments,	106 50
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						\$19,800 90

RECEIVED.

1891.

Feb. 28.	W. B. Ward, collector,	.	\$11,659 54
Mar. 1.	Amount due treasurer,	.	8,141 36
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			\$19,800 90

CONTINGENT ACCOUNT.

1890.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	\$2,677 02
28.	S. D. Reeves, voluntary tax,	21 68
July 25.	W. B. Ward, town hall,	.	.	.	.	20 00
Oct. 1.	W. B. Ward, for grass,	.	.	.	.	1 00
	W. B. Ward, town hall,	.	.	.	.	5 00
31.	C. F. Loker, old stoves,	.	.	.	.	16 00
Dec. 8.	Corporation tax,	.	.	.	.	589 36
	National Bank tax,	.	.	.	.	758 86
	State aid, .	.	.	.	.	350 00
19.	C. F. Loker, old stove,	.	.	.	.	2 00
27.	W. B. Ward, town hall,	.	.	.	.	15 00
	W. B. Ward, old copper,	.	.	.	.	5 00

1891.

Jan. 1.	Jos. H. Ladd, clerk 1st Dist. Court, fines,	.	36 73
	Unexp'd app., illegal sale liquors June 1, '90,		100 00
	" Grading Shawmut ave.,	"	2 86
	" Furnish poorhouse,	"	21 38
	" Sewerage committee,	"	89 40
	" Island Farm road,	"	18 81
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Amount carried forward,

\$4,730 10

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$4,730 10
Jan. 31.	Jos. H. Ladd, clerk, for fines, . . .	150 00
Feb. 27.	E. A. Atwood, for scales, . . .	24 15
28.	Overlayings, 1890, . . .	182 61
	Additional assessments, 1890, . . .	106 50
	W. B. Ward, interest on taxes, 1888, . .	172 46
	Overdrawn, . . .	105 06
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		\$5,470 88

EXPENDED.

1890.		
Mar. 5.	Transferred to Poor account, .	\$300 00
28.	Butterfield and Gugarty, state aid,	8 00
April 25.	“ “ “ “	8 00
May 31.	“ “ “ “	8 00
June 27.	“ “ “ “	8 00
1891.		
Jan. 1.	Overdrawn app., Lokerville school house, . . .	8 88
1890.		
Oct. 23.	Waltham Savings Bank, . .	2,500 00
1891.		
Jan. 30.	Moses Caswell, military aid, 2 months, 1890, . . .	8 00
	W. G. Webster, military aid, 2 months, 1890, . . .	8 00
	P. Gugarty, . . .	4 00
	Frank Lovely, . . .	4 00
	W. G. Webster, . . .	4 00
	M. Caswell, . . .	8 00
	James Murphy, . . .	8 00
Feb. 27.	Frank Lovely, . . .	4 00
	P. Gugarty, . . .	4 00
	W. G. Webster, . . .	4 00
	M. Caswell, . . .	8 00
	State aid, general order, . .	506 00
	Transferred to Interest account, .	2,000 00
	Transferred to printing proceedings 250th anniversary account, .	60 00
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		\$5,470 88

HYDRANT ACCOUNT.

1890.

Appropriated,	\$384 00
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EXPENDED.

1891.

Jan. 1. Transferred to Water account, .	\$384 00	
		\$384 00

PRINTING PROCEEDINGS OF 250th ANNIVERSARY
OF THE TOWN.

Appropriated,	\$60 00
Unexpended balance,	\$60 00
	<u>\$60 00</u>

VENTILATING AND HEATING COCHITUATE GRAMMAR
SCHOOL HOUSE.

1890.

Appropriated in anticipation of taxes for 1891, \$3,500 00

EXPENDED.

June 27.	C. A. Roak,	\$135 00
	“ “	37 39
Aug. 29.	C. C. Ward,	6 50
	C. A. Roak,	24 68
	O. C. Erwing,	65 00
	F. Waterhouse,	50 00
Sept. 27.	W. W. Lovejoy,	43 07
	C. A. Roak,	64 60
	Braman, Dow & Co.,	25 00
	W. W. Wight,	7 50
Oct. 23.	W. D. Parlin,	2,000 00
31.	C. A. Roak,	35 48
	Robinson & Jones,	11 00
		<u>\$2,505 22</u>
	<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$2,505 22	
Nov. 25.	E. H. Atwood,	9 10	
	C. A. Roak,	37 98	
	C. D. Ricker,	6 59	
	W. M. Fullick,	50 00	
29.	Provost & Dupont,	7 95	
	F. Waterhouse,	63 52	
Dec. 12.	W. D. Parlin,	\$800 00	
1891.			
Jan. 8.	Committee on ventilation, . .	19 64	
		<hr/>	\$3,500 00

ALTERATION COCHITUATE GRAMMAR SCHOOL HOUSE.

1890.

Appropriated, \$275 00

EXPENDED.

Sept. 27.	W. M. Fullick,	\$50 00	
	Provost & Dupont,	6 00	
	Globe Furniture Co.,	49 00	
	Boston School Supply Co.,	10 00	
Nov. 29.	Globe Furniture Co.,	40 05	
1891.			
Jan. 8.	Committee on alteration, . .	119 95	
		<hr/>	\$275 00

BILLS ON COCHITUATE SCHOOL HOUSE.

1891.

Jan. 17. Appropriated in anticipation of taxes for 1891, \$809 00

EXPENDED.

1891.

Jan. 30.	W. D. Parlin,	\$226 99	
Feb. 5.	W. M. Fullick,	549 26	
Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	32 75	
		<hr/>	\$809 00

COLLECTION OF TAXES.

1890.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended appropriations,	.	.	.	\$550 00
	Appropriated for 1890,	.	.	.	300 00
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					\$850 00

EXPENDED.

1890.

Dec. 27.	W. B. Ward, collector 1888,	.	\$250 00
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1891.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended appropriations,	.	600 00	
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				\$850 00

AUTOMATIC FIRE ALARM.

1891.

Appropriated,	\$375 00
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EXPENDED.

1890.

April 25.	W. & J. M. Bent,	.	.	.	25 00
	Geo. M. Stevens,	.	.	.	350 00
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					\$375 00

INSURANCE.

1890.

Appropriated,	\$325 00
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EXPENDED.

Mar. 28.	J. M. Forbush & Co.,	.	.	\$280 00
June 27.	“ “ “	.	.	16 00
	A. M. Bent,	.	.	3 00
Aug 29.	J. M. Forbush & Co.,	.	.	8 00
Sept. 27.	“ “ “	.	.	3 00
1891.				
Jan. 30.	H. W. Butler,	.	.	15 00
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				\$325 00

SUPPRESSION ILLEGAL SALE OF LIQUORS.

1890.

Appropriated, \$100 00

EXPENDED.

Nov. 29. John Lamarine, 3 00

Dec. 27. G. C. Travis, 10 00

1891.

Jan. 30. P. Levitt, 16 25

Mar. 1. Unexpended balance, 70 75

\$100 00

LAKEVIEW CEMETERY.

1890.

Appropriated, \$200 00

EXPENDED.

May 31. John Bakstran, \$105 00

J. C. Butterfield, 40 25

June 27. W. W. Wight, 45 00

1891.

Feb. 28. J. C. Butterfield, 9 50

Mar. 1. Unexpended balance, 25

\$200 00

NORTH AND CENTRE CEMETERIES.

1890.

Mar. 1. Unexpended balance, \$55 01

Appropriated, 200 00

\$255 01

EXPENDED.

1890.

May 31. T. S. Sherman, \$54 81

Nov. 29. T. S. Sherman, 121 15

1891.

Mar. 1. Unexpended balance, 79 05

\$255 01

CEMETERY ACCOUNT.

1890.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	\$29 00
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1891.

Feb. 27.	T. S. Sherman,	18 00
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 \$47 00

EXPENDED.

1891.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended,	\$47 00
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 \$47 00

COUNSEL FEES IN CASE OF WAYLAND vs. FOLSOM.

1890.

Appropriated,	\$300 00
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EXPENDED.

1891.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended,	\$300 00
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 \$300 00

HEARSE HOUSE, LAKEVIEW CEMETERY.

1890.

Appropriated,	\$200 00
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EXPENDED.

1891.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended,	\$200 00
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 \$200 00

FIREMEN'S PAY.

1890.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended appropriation,	\$224 00
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Appropriated,	224 00
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 \$448 00

EXPENDED.

April 25.	Ralph Bent,	\$224 00	
1891.			
Mar. 1.	Unexpended appropriation, . .	<u>224 00</u>	\$448 00

DECORATION DAY.

1890.

Appropriated,	\$150 00
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EXPENDED.

May 31.	Daniel W. Ricker,	<u>\$150 00</u>	\$150 00
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ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

1890.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	\$76 84	
	Appropriated,	<u>500 00</u>	
			\$576 84

EXPENDED.

Aug. 29.	Natick Electric Co.,	\$250 02	
Oct. 31.	" " "	83 34	
Nov. 29.	" " "	41 67	
1891.			
Jan. 30.	" " "	83 34	
Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	<u>118 47</u>	\$576 84

SEWERAGE COMMITTEE.

1890.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended appropriation,	\$100 00
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EXPENDED.

1890.			
Mar. 28.	S. P. Sharples,	\$10 60	
June 1.	Contingent account,	<u>89 40</u>	\$100 00

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

1890.

No appropriation.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	\$130 09
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1891.

Mar. 1.	Overdrawn,	26 67
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 \$156 76

EXPENDED.

1890.

W. B. Ward abated tax of

May. 31.	T. Evans,	\$12 60
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Oct. 22.	Eugene Bull,	5 90
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	R. Jennison,	5 90
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	W. Smith heirs,	5 90
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	A. Corliss,	2 66
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	S. C. Cormier,	88
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1891.

Jan. 30.	1890, J. Farrar,	9 55
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	1889, J. Farrer,	11 34
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	“ E. Farrer,	5 60
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	“ A. Corliss,	3 15
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	“ A. M. Loker,	1 40
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Feb. 28.	Taxes 1888,	22 98
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	“ 1889,	68 90
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 \$156 76

ISLAND FARM ROAD.

1890.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance,	\$40 73
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EXPENDED.

May 31.	A. S. Bowles,	\$21 92
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June 1.	Contingent account,	18 81
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 \$40 73

COUNTY TAX.

1890.

Appropriated,	\$1,207 62
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EXPENDED.

Nov. 29.	County treasurer,	.	.	.	\$1,207 62	
					<u> </u>	\$1,207 62

STATE TAX.

1890.

Appropriated,	\$1,312 50
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EXPENDED.

Dec. 8.	Geo. A. Marden, treasurer,	.	.	.	\$1,312 50	
					<u> </u>	\$1,312 50

REDUCTION OF TOWN DEBT.

1890.

Appropriated, contingent account,	.	.	\$2,500 00
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EXPENDED.

Oct. 23.	Waltham Savings bank,	.	.	\$2,500 00	
				<u> </u>	\$2,500 00

UNDERWOOD BROS. REFUND TAX.

1890.

Mar. 1.	Unexpended appropriation,	.	.	.	\$13 42
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EXPENDED.

1891.					
Jan. 30.	Underwood Bros.,	.	.	.	\$13 42
				<u> </u>	\$13 42

BUILDING WESTON ROAD AND DAMAGES.

1891.

Jan. 17. Appropriated in anticipation of taxes of 1891, \$5,500 00

EXPENDED.

1891.

Jan. 30.	Willard A. Bullard, . . .	\$2,300 00
Mar. 1.	Unexpended balance, . . .	3,200 00
		<hr/> \$5,500 00

TEMPORARY LOANS.

1888.

Mar. 30. Horace Heard, \$3,000 00

1889.

June 4. Waltham National Bank, 3,000 00

July 26. Waltham National Bank, 3,000 00

1890.

April 30. Emily A. Heard, executrix, 3,000 00

June 2. Waltham National Bank, 3,000 00

27. Waltham Savings Bank, anticipation taxes '91, 1,750 00

Aug. 30. Waltham Savings Bank, " " " 1,750 00

1891.

Jan. 30. Willard A. Bullard, " " " 6,809 00

\$25,309 00

EXPENDED.

1890.

April 30. Estate of Horace Heard, . . . \$3,000 00

1891.

Feb. 21. Waltham National Bank, . . . 3,000 00

Unpaid,—Dated,

July 26, 1889. Waltham Nat. Bank, . 3,000 00

April 30, 1890. Emily A. Heard, exc. 3,000 00

June 2, 1890. Waltham Nat. Bank, . 3,000 00

June 27, 1890. Waltham Savings Bank, 1,750 00

Aug. 30, 1890. " " " 1,750 00

Jan. 30, 1891. Willard A. Bullard, . 6,809 00

\$25,309 00

OUTSTANDING CLAIMS.

Notes Dated

Nov. 3, 1863.	Draper library fund, on demand, 6 per cent. annually,	\$500 00
Jan. 1, 1875.	Allen fund, on demand, 6 per cent. annually,	1,000 00
Aug. 1, 1878.	Water bonds, due Aug. 1, 1898, 5 per cent. semi-annually,	25,000 00
Oct. 1, 1878.	Town bonds, due Oct. 1, 1898, 5 per cent. semi-annually,	44,500 00
Jan. 1, 1881.	Mrs. Childs library fund, on demand, 6 per cent. annually,	\$100 00
Oct. 1, 1882.	Water bonds, due Oct. 1, 1902, 4 per cent. semi-annually,	4,000 00
July 27, 1888.	Water bond, due July 27, 1908, 4 per cent. semi-annually,	1,000 00
Jan. 1, 1889.	Treasurer donation fund, on demand, 6 per cent. annually,	1,300 00
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		\$77,400 00

STATE AID FROM CONTINGENT FUND.

Henry B. Fischer,	\$4 50 per month,	\$54 00
John Roy, 7 mos.,	4 00 "	28 00
Elizabeth A. Farmer,	4 00 "	48 00
Adeline Adams,	4 00 "	48 00
Dora Whitney,	4 00 "	48 00
Eva E. Whitney,	4 00 "	48 00
John B. Brigham,	6 00 " military aid,	72 00
Philip Gugarty,	4 00 " "	32 00
John C. Butterfield,	4 00 " "	32 00
Fred P. Hosmer,	8 00 " "	96 00
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		\$506 00

STATE AID.—SPECIAL ORDERS.

1890.				
Mar. 28.	P. Gugarty,	military aid,	.	\$4 00
	J. C. Butterfield,	"	.	4 00
April 25.	P. Gugarty,	"	.	4 00
	J. C. Butterfield,	"	.	4 00
May 31.	P. Gugarty,	"	.	4 00
	J. C. Butterfield,	"	.	4 00
June 27.	P. Gugarty,	"	.	4 00
	J. C. Butterfield,	"	.	4 00
1891.				
Jan. 30.	M. Carswell, 2 mos. '90,	"	.	8 00
	W. G. Webster, "	"	.	8 00
	P. Gugarty,	"	.	4 00
	Frank Lovely,	"	.	4 00
	W. G. Webster,	"	.	4 00
	James Murphy,	"	.	8 00
	M. Carswell,	"	.	8 00
Feb. 27.	Frank Lovely,	"	.	4 00
	P. Gugarty,	"	.	4 00
	W. G. Webster,	"	.	4 00
	M. Carswell,	"	.	8 00
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				\$96 00

UNEXPENDED BALANCES AND APPROPRIATIONS.

Schools, care of rooms, and fuel,	\$214 46
School supplies,	.	.	.	.	155 02
Poor,	.	.	.	.	114 58
Cemetery account,	.	.	.	.	47 00
Public library,	.	.	.	.	211 49
Salaries of town officers,	.	.	.	.	544 64
Suppression sale of liquors,	.	.	.	.	70 75
Lakeview cemetery,	.	.	.	.	25
North and Centre cemeteries,	.	.	.	.	79 05

Amount carried forward,

\$1,437 24

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$1,437 24
Counsel fees, Wayland vs. Folsom,	300 00
Hearse house, Cochrane,	200 00
Firemen's pay,	224 00
Electric lights,	118 47
Bills Cochrane school house,	32 75
Building Weston road, etc.,	3,200 00
Collection taxes,	600 00
Printing proceedings of 250th anniversary of the town,	60 00
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	\$6,172 46

OVERDRAWN MONEY.

Incidentals,	\$128 86
Interest on town debt,	134 50
Abatement of taxes,	26 67
Contingent account,	105 06
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	\$395 09

RECEIPTS FROM ALL SOURCES.

1890.

Mar. 1.	Cash on hand,	\$3,795 57
	W. H. Bent, water rates,	690 50
5.	Contingent acct. transferred to Poor acct.,	300 00
28.	S. D. Reeves, voluntary taxes,	21 68
April 1.	W. H. Bent, water rates,	244 00
30.	Emily A. Heard, executrix, temporary loan,	3,000 00
June 2.	Waltham National Bank,	3,000 00
27.	Waltham Savings Bank, anticipation taxes '91,	1,750 00
July 25.	W. B. Ward, town hall,	20 00
Aug. 5.	W. H. Bent, water rates,	68 50
30.	Waltham Savings bank, anticipation taxes '91,	1,750 00
Sept. 1.	W. H. Bent, water rates,	691 00
Oct. 1.	W. H. Bent, "	111 00
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	<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$15,442 25

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$15,442 25
Oct.	1. W. B. Ward, for grass,	1 00
	W. B. Ward, town hall,	5 00
	31. C. F. Loker, old stoves,	16 00
Dec.	1. W. H. Bent, water rates,	59 50
	8. Corporation tax,	589 36
	National Bank tax,	758 86
	State aid,	350 00
	19. C. F. Loker, old stove,	2 00
	27. W. B. Ward, town hall,	15 00
	W. B. Ward, old copper,	5 00
1891.		
Jan.	1. J. H. Ladd, clerk, for fines,	36 73
	W. H. Bent, water rates,	19 00
	5. William Baldwin, schools,	12 00
	26. State treasurer, school fund,	171 88
	30. J. H. Ladd, clerk, for fines,	150 00
	Willard A. Bullard, anticipation taxes '91, .	6,809 00
Feb.	3. Dog licenses,	266 16
	W. H. Bent, water rates,	197 00
	27. Treasurer public library,	66 14
	T. S. Sherman. cemetery account,	18 00
	E. A. Atwood, use of scales,	24 15
Feb.	28. W. B. Ward, collector 1888,	1,250 02
	W. B. Ward, " 1889,	6,150 77
	W. B. Ward, " 1890,	11,659 54
	W. H. Bent, water rates,	1 50
	W. B. Ward, interest on taxes 1888,	172 46
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		\$44,818 32

TOTAL EXPENDITURES.

Schools,	\$6,020 07
School supplies,	639 00
Incidentals,	1,680 52
Support of poor,	2,202 24

<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	<hr/> \$10,541 83
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<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$10,541 83
Highways and bridges,	2,098 81
Interest on town debt,	4,523 50
Public library,	614 05
Salaries of town officers,	1,096 45
Water account, less interest,	1,586 00
Collection of taxes,	250 00
State aid,	506 00
Military aid, extra,	96 00
Poor account from contingent,	300 00
Ventilating Cochituate school house, etc.,	3,500 00
Alteration Cochituate school house,	275 00
Automatic fire alarm,	375 00
Insurance,	325 00
Suppression sale of liquor,	29 25
Lakeview cemetery,	199 75
North and Centre cemeteries,	175 96
Firemen's pay,	224 00
Decoration day,	150 00
Electric lights,	458 37
Sewerage committee,	10 60
Abatement taxes,	156 76
Island Farm road,	21 92
County treasurer,	1,207 62
State treasurer,	1,312 50
Reduction town debt,	2,500 00
Underwood Bros.,	13 42
Bills Cochituate school house,	776 25
Willard A. Bullard, damages,	2,300 00
Estate Horace Heard, temporary loan,	3,000 00
Waltham National bank,	3,000 00
Cash on hand,	3,194 28
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	\$44,818 32

Loker fund, deposited in Waltham Savings Bank, . \$2,000 00

R. M. FOLSOM, *Treasurer.*

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

I have examined the books of the several town officers, also their bonds, which are properly approved and on file.

The selectmen hold the proper vouchers for all orders drawn, ex-
one (for a bill of H. F. Lee & Co., Jan. 30, 1891,) of \$49.92.
This should have been drawn for \$49.22.

The books of the water commissioners and treasurer of sinking
fund are correct.

In examining the books of the treasurer I find he has the proper
vouchers for all money expended, and each account is correctly cast.

Library trustees report not received.

Following is the trial balance according to the books for the year
ending February 28, 1891.

TRIAL BALANCE.

Unexpended balance and appropriations,	\$6,172 46
Temporary loans,	19,309 00
Cash on hand,	\$3,194 28
Due from collector, 1889,	2,670 51
" " 1890,	8,141 36
Overdrawn, Incidental account,	128 86
" Interest "	134 50
" Contingent "	105 06
" Abatement tax "	26 67
Temporary loans unprovided for by the town,	10,309 00
Deficit,	771 22
	\$25,481 46

F. A. BULLARD, *Auditor.*

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF WAYLAND,
FOR THE YEAR 1890-91.



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SCHOOL REPORT.

Among the mysteries of human experiences, during the year, has been the removal, by death, of the chairman of the school committee. Mrs. A. M. Bent was taken sick the 22d of July. The best medical skill could give no relief and on July 31 she ceased the activities of an exceedingly useful life. Mrs. Bent possessed natural abilities and acquired virtues which won for her the admiration of every person with whom she came in contact. Her great mind was full of plans for improving the condition of our public schools. She greatly desired that the town might make more liberal appropriations so that the schools might be equal to any in the state, and at the time her illness came was carefully planning for the future, with the fullest confidence of her associates. By her death the schools and the town have sustained a great loss.

The vacancy caused by the death of Mrs. Bent was filled, according to law, by the election of Joseph Candlin.

The committee feels that there are two main qualifications for successful teaching: first, intellectual fitness; second, power to secure good government. It was felt, at the beginning of the year, that it was very important to secure good order in the schools, as there can be no satisfactory results without it. Perfect discipline lies at the foundation of progress in the education given in our public schools. We trust that all parents, for the sake of proper advancement in the education of their children, will show their approval of all careful attention to secure this end. The new teachers had this matter thoroughly urged upon them and were charged to secure as perfect

discipline as possible. We think, at the present time, the discipline in most of our schools will compare very favorably with that of the schools of surrounding towns or cities.

The committee has been pleased to notice that the greater part of the teachers know what they are teaching without the necessity of always referring to the text book. By this method of teaching without books the impression is given to the pupil that the teacher is not presenting something from the books but from a well stored mind that is thoroughly acquainted with what is to be taught. Another advantage is that the teacher can have full supervision over the rest of the school while hearing the class recitations.

In the Cochituate school, at the commencement of the present school year, there were two of the grammar school graduates of 1889 entering upon an advanced course of high school studies, but through sickness and from other causes they have ceased to pursue the course. There are now eleven of last year's class, and two others who are pursuing high school studies. We wish they could remain and complete the entire course and thus have the town lay the foundation for a first-class high school.

The school committee, for several years, has felt that the schools were suffering greatly because of insufficient appropriations to advance the salaries of good teachers in order to prevent their removal to other towns for better remuneration.

When teachers come into our schools and prove first-class, some other town comes and offers them more pay and they leave us. The consequence is that there must be a frequent change of teachers, and very often the committee is obliged to employ teachers with no experience. These same teachers as soon as they become proficient are taken away by offers of increased wages.

The neighboring town of Weston pays some of its female teachers fifty dollars and others sixty a month. One of these teachers with fifty scholars has sixty dollars a month and an assistant teacher.

The committee asks careful attention of the town to the present condition of the school fund. It is utterly impossible longer to conduct the schools, even on the present basis of payment, without a much larger appropriation. As a proof of this we here present a table of unexpended balances at the time of town meeting for the last six years :

1885,	.	.	\$1,842 51	1888,	.	.	\$1,184 17
1886,	.	.	1,760 73	1889,	.	.	1,064 78
1887,	.	.	1,478 62	1890,	.	.	717 57

From this table it will appear that the committee for some years has been obliged to spend considerably more than the amounts appropriated. It is supposed that the unexpended balance at the time of town meeting will pay all bills for the spring term, as no money is placed in the town treasury till October. We therefore ask the attention of the town to the treasurer's report for 1890, pages 48-49. It will there be found that the expenses for the year, deducting \$717.57 unexpended balance, were \$5,816.43. Divide this amount by 37, the number of weeks the schools were in session, and you will find an expense of \$157.20 a week. Allowing thirteen weeks for spring term, there ought to have been an unexpended balance of \$2,043.60 instead of \$717.57.

From the same report, for 1890, we find the following :

Total expense for year, \$5,816 43

INCOME.

Town appropriation,	.	.	.	.	.	\$5,100 00
Donation fund,	.	.	.	.	.	12 00
State school fund,	.	.	.	.	.	164 28
Dog tax,	.	.	.	.	.	192 94

Total income, 5,469 22

Deficiency for the year, \$347 21

This year the committee found it absolutely necessary to have another teacher in the Cochituate grammar school. This was caused by an increase of scholars, and to make it possible properly to grade the schools. This causes an additional expense of \$360 a year. It is expected that the new system of heating will increase the expense by nearly one hundred dollars.

By turning to the treasurer's report for the present year, page 42, it will be found that the debtor's account is as follows :

Unexpended balance,	\$717 57
Appropriation,	5,200 00
Donation fund,	12 00
State school fund,	171 88
Dog license,	133 08
Total,	<u>\$6,234 53</u>
Deduct from this total the unexpended balance,	<u>717 57</u>
The amount is the year's income,	\$5,516 96
Amount expended since last town meeting is	\$6,020 07
Year's income, as above,	<u>5,516 96</u>
Deficiency for the year,	\$503 11

There is now an unexpended balance of \$214.46. The unexpended balance, as before stated in this report, ought to be sufficient to pay the spring term, but it will only provide for a little more than one week towards the thirteen.

The bills of the coming year cannot possibly be met with a less appropriation than \$6,000. To properly increase the unexpended balance it ought to be much more.

We are glad to be able to speak in the highest terms of the new system of heating and ventilation in the Cochituate school house and to find that it perfectly satisfies the teachers.

One great impediment in the way of steady progress in our schools is the frequent absence of scholars. It breaks into the studies and makes the work of teachers difficult and often unsatisfactory to both parents and teachers. In one school of thirty scholars the records of five weeks show that there were only three that had neither been tardy nor absent. We would urge upon parents the necessity of securing regular attendance in order to help the progress of the schools.

In conclusion we suggest to parents that it would be helpful to teachers to have more frequent visitation. At the present time there are very few visits made except on closing days.

In consideration of the fact that for several years the expenses have been more than the income, we recommend an appropriation of \$6,000 for teachers' salaries, care of school houses and fuel; and \$600 for text books and supplies.

THE AVERAGE ATTENDANCE.

WAYLAND HIGH AND GRAMMAR.—Scholars, 33 ; average attendance, 26. Teacher, Chas. C. Hartwell.

NORTH SCHOOL.—Scholars, 25 ; average, 17, Teacher, Miss Nellie M. Bradstreet.

CENTRE PRIMARY.—Scholars, 35 ; average, 24. Teacher, Miss Mary E. Leach.

RUTTER SCHOOL.—Scholars, 20 ; average, 16. Teachers, Miss M. E. Lovell and Miss Pearl E. Moore.

THOMAS SCHOOL.—Scholars, 18 ; average, 11. Teacher, Miss Minnie Folsom.

LOKERVILLE.—Scholars, 42 ; average, 32. Teachers, Miss Nellie R. Rice and Miss Hattie E. Perkins.

COCHITUATE SCHOOLS.

PRIMARY.—Scholars, 46 ; average, 40 Teacher, Miss Annie E. Tucker.

SECOND GRADE.—Scholars, 46 ; average, 42. Teachers, Miss Lang, Miss Moody, Miss Chamberlain, Miss Annie H. Rood.

THIRD GRADE.—Scholars, 44 ; average, 41. Teachers, Miss Spear and Miss Florence H. Barrett.

FOURTH GRADE.—Scholars, 43 ; average, 40. Teacher, Miss Annie B. Brown.

FIFTH GRADE.—Scholars, 34 ; average, 31. Teachers, Miss Clifford and Miss Ella N. Willis.

GRAMMAR AND HIGH.—Scholars, 40 ; average, 37. Principals, Preston Smith and Howard G. Kingman ; Assistant, Miss Emily D. Sturtevant.

B. M. FOLSOM,
CAROLINE F. LOKER,
JOSEPH CANDLIN.

School Committee.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

ON

Heating and Ventilating Cochituate Grammar School Building.

In entering upon the work committed to them your committee early began to realize that it was an undertaking that belonged to others of larger experience, but with the intelligent advice and generosity of the voters they have done the work, considering the situation they found the building in and obstacles to overcome, so as to get the best results for the outlay. After examining several plans they adopted one that gives perfect satisfaction to the state inspectors and your committee, as the following tests will show.

The building is divided on each floor in the centre by a partition, making six school rooms all having the same floor space, each containing an average of 1,338 cubic feet of air space with seats for fifty pupils. A forty-horse power improved tubular boiler has been placed in the cellar, supplying steam to six indirect radiators encased with galvanized iron, each containing 120 square feet of surface. From these heating chambers, which are located in the first story, are taken six rectangular galvanized iron pipes 32x20 inches, 30x20 inches, and 28x20 inches, to the first, second and third floors respectively, discharging into the rooms at a point eight feet above the

floor. The heating chambers are supplied with mixing dampers, and connected by pulleys and chains to each room so as to be operated by the teacher. Two cold air chambers in the basement supply fresh air through openings 42x44 inches. From these chambers large galvanized iron pipes connect with the heating chambers. The two recitation rooms are supplied with warm air by means of an indirect radiator incased in the same manner as the others, containing 48 and 72 square feet of surface respectively and supplied with cold air pipes and mixing dampers. In addition to the above, two direct radiators are placed in each of the six school rooms to supplement the indirect radiators in very cold weather if found necessary. Direct radiators are also placed in all the cloak rooms, entries and stair cases, so that the entire building is well warmed. As a means of removing the vitiated air from the rooms, a brick shaft having an eight-inch wall has been constructed, the inside dimensions of which are 5 feet, 8 inches, by 5 feet, 4 inches, and 61 feet high, from each of the six school rooms, and clustered about this stack are round galvanized pipes of $27\frac{3}{4}$ inches, 29 inches, and $31\frac{1}{4}$ inches, for the first, second, and third floors respectively. These lead to the cellar and there connect with the shaft at its base. In the shaft is a small furnace to heat the air, and thus cause a circulation in the rooms. The exhaust flues from the recitation rooms are 18x20 inches in diameter from the second and third floors respectively. A test of the rooms made by inspector J. H. L. Coon, showed the following results: The outer air being at 40° F. On the third floor there was a supply of 1,500 cubic feet of air per minute at a temperature of 82° F., and an exhaust of 1,700 cubic feet with a temperature at the outlet of 68° F. On the second floor there was a supply of 1,850 cubic feet per minute at a temperature of 80° F., and an exhaust of over 1,900 cubic feet at a temperature of 68° F., while the temperature of the room was 70° F. A smoke test of these rooms showed that the circulation was excellent. The first floor on first test did not show as satisfactory results, and the inspector ordered a change in the location of the pipes. After this was done the results were as satisfactory as either floor above. The committee have tested the temperature of the rooms a number of times during the winter with the outside air 10° F., and at zero, and found the temperature inside at 70° F., and rising at 7.30 in the morning.

From careful observation we feel warranted in asserting that the heating and ventilating will compare favorably with any building under the same conditions, and better than many others in towns that have expended larger sums of money.

For financial report see page 58 of Treasurer's report.

WM. W. LOVEJOY,

E. H. ATWOOD.

March 6, 1891.

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